



# **Grant Thornton Affinity**

SPECIALIST SUPPORT YOU CAN TRUST



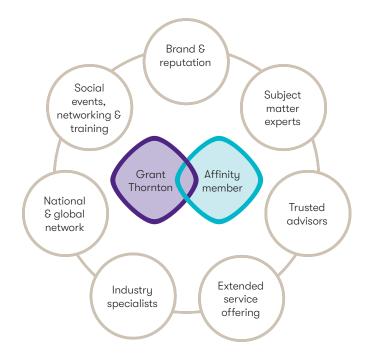


As a part of the Affinity network, you and your clients are given access to a specialised professional, nationally integrated full service accounting firm.

Whether you're an accountant, lawyer or another professional services firm, your clients value you as a trusted advisor. They don't expect you to be an expert at everything but, rather, they expect you to proactively spot issues and opportunities facing them and, when outside the scope of what you provide, introduce the right team of specialists to deliver the solution.

You're very much the key to the relationship, and act as a valued conduit between your clients and a breadth of expertise critical to their business and its growth. Whether you're after a sounding board, or access to specialist advice – such as taxation, insolvency or restructuring, corporate finance or valuations – the Affinity network complements your service offering and adds value to your clients.

The Affinity network was established more than 20 years ago and has evolved to become a unique and supportive community of professional services advisers. We're a noncompetitive network where we seek to complement and elevate your service offerings, as well as bring a sense of community and networking to like-minded professional service practices. We regularly facilitate workshops and seminars to not only share best practice and insights, but also opportunities for you to collaborate with others in your industry and to meet your required CPD and training expectations.







Membership to the Grant Thornton Affinity network is free of charge. As a member, we support you in a number of ways:

## **Sounding Board**

Free initial conversation with Grant Thornton specialists to troubleshoot particular client issues.

# **Technical support**

Structured technical support.

Provision of formal advice to members and/or their clients.

Preferential rates are applied to members.

## **Client Referrals**

Provision of services outside your area of expertise, including insolvency appointments, valuations, M&A, audit, etc.

#### Project support

Longer term project assignments. Preferential and structured rates are applied to members under a full letter of engagement.

# **Industry expertise**

In today's market, knowing your business environment and market is critical. At Grant Thornton, our industry teams offer industry-specific, insightful and objective solutions to the challenges facing businesses today.

We study industry trends and issues closely so that we better understand the complex issues facing businesses in their industry. Grant Thornton's industry specialists, led by partners with deep industry experience, use insights, experience and instinct to provide meaningful, forward looking advice to help dynamic organisations unlock their potential for growth.

As a member of Grant Thornton Affinity you have the ability to access Grant Thornton's industry insights from our network of industry specialists.

# Services that matter to you

Through the Grant Thornton Affinity network, you receive access to non-competitive specialist support in areas outside your immediate skillset. Grant Thornton is a nationally integrated full service accounting firm providing Audit, Financial Advisory, Consulting, Private Advisory and Tax services.

# Our services

## Audit & Assurance

### Financial Advisory

Corporate finance

Forensics

Restructuring advisory

Debt & payments advisory

# National Specialist Tax

Indirect tax

Transfer pricing

Remuneration taxes

## Tax

# **Grant Thornton Consulting**

Business risk

Human capital

Performance improvement

Strategy & growth

Technology advisory

# **Private Advisory**

Family office services

Private wealth

Superannuation

**Public Sector Advisory** 

# We are Grant Thornton

Grant Thornton Australia is a leading business advisor that helps dynamic organisations to unlock their potential for growth. Our brand is respected globally, as one of the major global accounting organisations recognised by capital markets, regulators and international standards setting bodies.

We are constantly evolving and developing alongside our clients.

Grant Thornton Australia has more than 1,170 people working in offices in Adelaide, Brisbane, Cairns, Melbourne, Perth and Sydney. We combine service breadth, depth of expertise and industry insight with an approachable "client first" mindset and a broad commercial perspective.

# Global scale and agility

We have the scale to meet your changing needs, but with the insight and agility that helps you to stay one step ahead. More than 53,000 Grant Thornton people, across over 135 countries, are focused on making a difference to clients, colleagues and the communities in which we live and work.

As a Grant Thornton Affinity member, you gain access non-competitive specialist advice in Restructuring Advisory, Audit, Tax and a full suite of Advisory services through a single point of contact. Simply call your local contact to access such advice. If required, they can refer you to a wide range of expertise within Grant Thornton Australia or member firms worldwide.

# **Snapshot**



\$258.2m (AU 2019 revenue)



\$5.45bn (US 2018 global revenue)



partners



53,000+
people globally



offices



700+
offices globally



1,170+
people nationally



countries

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